

# **Integrated Water Quality and Aquatic Communities Protocol – Lakes and Ponds**

## **Appendix B: Responsibilities of Field Crew**

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This appendix contains a list of expectations for crew members, designed to insure that employees act as exemplary personnel, and that the highest quality is exerted during sampling.





# Integrated Aquatic Community and Water Quality Monitoring of Mountain Ponds and Lakes in the Klamath Network

## *Expectations of Field Crews*

The purpose of this document is to lay out a series of standards for field crew conduct to insure two important aspects:

1. The crew represents the ideals and mission of the National Park Service to the highest degree possible.
2. The data collected by the crew is of the highest quality possible under the guidelines of the protocol.

To accomplish this, the undersigned agrees to:

- Hold the biological and cultural resources of the park in the highest regard.
- Recognize that members of the public, i.e., park visitors, are their “customers” and deserve the time and respect of the crew – the crew has a job as interpretative instructors.
- Obey all park regulations and permit requirements to the letter.
- Prioritize personal safety.
- Follow all protocols.
- Any deviations deemed necessary by the Crew Leader from the protocol will be reported to the Project Lead within 48 hours.
- All data shall be recorded at the appropriate time, and memories will not be relied upon.
- Report any observations of interest to appropriate park personnel – this includes observations of problem wildlife or illicit human activity.

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